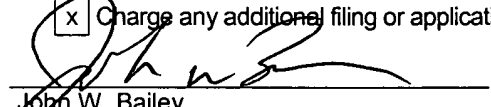




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Application No. 10/726,581-Conf. #005076	Filing Date December 4, 2003	Examiner Marcheschi, M. A.	Art Unit 1755		
Applicant(s): Yoshiaki OSHIMA et al.					
Invention: POLISHING COMPOSITION					
<b>MS Amendment</b> <b>Commissioner for Patents</b> <b>P.O. Box 1450</b> <b>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</b>					
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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

The instant reply is filed in response to the outstanding office action of July 22, 2005, which issued in connection with the above-identified application.

The instant reply includes the following sections:

Amendments to the Claims (pages 2-4), and  
Remarks (pages 5-12).